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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated February 9, 2006, the period for response having been extended to June 9, 2006 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the claims, as shown in the attached listing of claims beginning on page 2;

Remarks, beginning on page 24.

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114 AND AMENDMENT

